

Transportation Safety Division Daily Situation Report (SITREP)

SITREP no. 2.0

Date updated: January 23, 2022 10:00 AM

Next Report: January 23, 2022 4:00PM

Situation to date: Convoy for Freedom Protest Preparation

Actions to date: Operational preparation

Actions to be completed:

- Details provided below

Other

*Similar events beginning in Keptville, Belleville, Niagara and Kapuskasing.

The Convoy for Freedom has raised over \$2.1M through a GoFundMe page. [Fundraiser by Tamara Lich : Freedom Convoy 2022 \(gofundme.com\)](https://www.gofundme.com/f/convoy-for-freedom)

Social Media Posts (videos of current convoys in Canada):

Comber - <https://m.facebook.com/645646005/videos/1034115910505217/>

Incidents:

Date:	Region	Events:	Notes - Operational Updates and Impacts
January 22, 2022	NORTH Hwy 11 South@ Tower Hill 2km West of Beardmore	Major incident report 5:17am – collision involving TT from Convoy and snow plow. No serious injuries reported. Reports of erratic driving in apparent convoy of 8-9 TTU's not associated with incident.	Fire, OPP, MTO and EMS were onsite Snow plow damage and tractor damage requiring tow. All lanes reopened
January 23-25, 2022 (Sunday-Tuesday)	WEST CENTRAL and EAST	UPDATE: Start time 10am Essex approximately 25 CMVs and 70 passenger vehicles leaving from Comber. Sarnia approximately the same as Essex leaving from Oil Heritage Rd. *January 23, 2022: Similar protest events beginning in Keptville, Belleville, Niagara and Kapuskasing.	1. Potential EDR Routes 2. Potential signage updates to note delays at the bridge crossings 3. Compass/Video information as requested 4. Potential snow removal

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		Protest regarding border control in Windsor/Sarnia. Peaceful protest for approximately 10hours per day from January 23-25. Start time approximately 9am each day and will follow the same planned loop during daylight hours. Will not be passing a TIS and targeted at the border. Windsor: https://goo.gl/maps/J8b2CQxLNnGVppEo8 Sarnia: Flying J Travel Center to Petro-Pass Truck Stop - Google Maps Number of expected trucks is unknown	OPP to continue to communicate with TOC and Compass for 1-4 MTO Officers will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP. No current request for assistance. Operational plan prepared by CIEB
January 25-29, 2022	ALL	Convoy for Freedom Trucks entering Ontario from North (starting evening on the 25th) West and East Regions starting on the 27th. BearHug - (canada-unity.com)	1. Potential EDR Routes 2. Potential signage updates to note delays at the bridge crossings 3. Compass/Video information as requested 4. Potential snow removal OPP to continue to communicate with TOC and Compass 1-4 MTO Officers will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP. No current requests for assistance. Operational plans being prepared by CIEB